

**State of Washington
Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council**

PUBLIC NOTICE OF RULE-MAKING HEARING

**November 7, 2024
10 AM
Virtual Meeting**

In accordance with RCW 34.05.325, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC) will hold a rule-making hearing to take public comment on proposed changes to all but two chapters of Title 463 of the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) related to EFSEC.

What is EFSEC is proposing to do?

The purpose of the rule revisions is to bring all EFSEC rules into alignment with its statute as amended in E2SHB 1812 in 2022 and other statutes, such as the Environmental Health Law Reorganization (SHB 2246 of 2020).

All proposed changes either: 1) only affect internal agency operations not subject to violation by a person; 2) adopt or incorporate Washington state statutes or rules of other state agencies; 3) correct typographical errors, make address or name changes, or clarify language without changing its effect; or, 4) are content explicitly and specifically dictated by statute.

How can you review the proposed rule changes?

The formal notice of proposed rulemaking (the CR-102) and proposed changes to each chapter can be found at:

[Rulemaking | EFSEC - The State of Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council](https://www.efsec.wa.gov/council-information/rulemaking)
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If you would like more information about these rule changes, would like to request printed copies of the proposed changes and the CR-105, or would like to request ADA accommodation, you can:

- Email the EFSEC Rules Coordinator at rulemaking@efsec.wa.gov; or
- Call the EFSEC Rules Coordinator at (360) 515-2011; or
- Write to the Rules Coordinator at: EFSEC Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 43172, Olympia, WA 98503-3172.

How can you provide public comment?

You may submit a written comment on the proposed changes from October 16, 2024 to November 7, 2024 at 5:00pm on the EFSEC website at <https://comments.efsec.wa.gov>, by emailing the Rules Coordinator at rulemaking@efsec.wa.gov, or in writing to the EFSEC office (see address above). We will also accept public comments at the public hearing on November 7, 2024 at 10:00am.

Meeting Location

The public meeting will be held on Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 10:00am-12:00pm or until the last speaker, whichever comes first. This meeting will be held remotely. You may attend the meeting via Microsoft Teams online or via phone at:

- <https://bit.ly/RulemakingCmtHearing>
- +1 564-999-2000 Conference ID: 118865094#

To facilitate this remote meeting, EFSEC would like to invite speakers to sign up ahead of the meeting. Anyone wishing to speak during the public meeting should please notify EFSEC by phone at (360) 664-1345 or email at efsec@efsec.wa.gov before 5:00pm on November 6, 2024.